AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0028] with the following amended paragraph: [0028] For maintenance purposes, delivery device 1 has various openings that can be closed with service lids 3a, 3b, 3c. These openings can only be opened when drive 2 is at rest, for example, to be able to remove jammed sheets from inside 4 of delivery device 1 in case of a paper jam. Opening 8 of delivery device 1 represents the transition from the inside 4 of delivery device 1 to the externally accessible region 6 of delivery device 1. In externally accessible region 6 of delivery device 1, there is located a delivery pile 5 which is built up by the sheets that nove move from the inside 4 of delivery device 1 through opening 8 to outside region 6. Delivery pile 5 is built up on a pile board 9 which is adjustable in height by a lift. This is necessary in order for the top edge of delivery pile 5 to always remain at the same height, independently of whether delivery pile 5 is large or small. This means that the pile board under delivery pile 5 must be correspondingly lowered as delivery pile 5 grows.